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Application No.: 09/287,248 Filed: April 7, 1999 § § Inventor(s): McDevitt et al. § § § § § Title: **FLUID BASED** §

ANALYSIS OF
MULTIPLE ANALYTES
BY A SENSOR ARRAY

Examiner: K. Padmanabhan
Group/Art Unit: 1641
Atty. Dkt. No: 5119-00501

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(under 37 CFR § 1.114)

This is a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of application number		
09/287,248, filed on April 7, 1999, entitled FLUID BASED ANALYSIS OF MULTIPLE		
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A Fee Authorization Form authorizing a deposit account debit for the RCE fee (\$375.00) required under
37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is enclosed.
2. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
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□ Form(s) PTO-1449 (1 page)
3. Amendments
A response is enclosed.
Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116.
Please consider the arguments in the response filed on under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116.
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Please consider the argument	ts in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief filed on
4. Please enter the enclosed affidavits	or declarations.
5. Return Receipt Postcard	
6. Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for	r Extension of Time
7. Drawings	
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If any extensions of time (under 37 C.F.R. becoming abandoned, Applicant(s) hereby	. § 1.136) are necessary to prevent the above referenced application(s) from petition for such extensions.
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The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fee or other fees which may be necessary to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account Number 50-1505/5119-00501.

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AMENDMENT; RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED MARCH 11, 2003

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Amendment

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